(b) if so, the action taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI MUNI LALL) : (a) The buildings of both the Hospitals at Tirupati and Nizamabad have already been handed over to the Government of Andhra Pradesh on 9.6.99 and 20.1.2000 respectively.

(b) The State Government has informed that these Hospitals have been commissioned on 8.7.99 and 29.12.2000 respectively.

Investigation against Officers by CBI

2700. SHRI SANJAY NIRUPAM: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the names of officers above the level of Joint Secretary investigated by the CBI during the last two years:

(b) the number of cases in which CBI has sought prosecution of the officers during the same period; and

(c) what was Government's response in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE) : (a) to (c) During the last 2 years *i.e.* 2000 and 2001 (upto 31.10.2001) as per the information provided by the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI), it has enquired/ investigated 33 cases against the officers above the level of Joint Secretary. In none of the cases sanction for prosecution has been sought by the CBI during this period.

Improvement in standards of CBI

2701. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the CBI is ill equipped to carry out investigation into the big terrorists attacks like the recent attack on the USA cities; and

(b) if so, what measures are contemplated by Government to match the CBI with the investigating agencies of the developed countries like the USA's FBI?